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1. The Russians are planning the production of 300 tons of pure magnesium per month in Bitterfeld. This is to be produced in the Werk Süd in the "Electrolysis" section, which was formerly used for the production of calcium.
2. It will require between 8 - 10 weeks to take out the old calcium baths and replace them with the new magnesium baths. All other necessary equipment, electrical current, etc., is available.

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